

APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 1, after the title insert the following statement and heading

--This is a National stage entry under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of Application No.

PCT/AU00/00964 filed August 11, 2000; the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.--

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Page 5, after the second paragraph insert the heading

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Page 6, after the second paragraph insert the heading

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Page 7, after the description of figure 16 insert the heading

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

IN THE CLAIMS:

Delete the heading "CLAIMS:-" and insert the heading

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

The claims are amended as follows:

3. (Amended) A device as claimed in claim 1 or claim 2, incorporating means for detecting and removing signal artifacts due to switching transients or other external interference.

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4. (Amended) A device as claimed in any preceding claim 1, having means for determining a confidence indication, indicating a degree of reliability of said result.
7. (Amended) A device as claimed in claim 5-~~or 6~~, wherein said selected criteria is or includes the signal-to-noise ratio of the result signal and/or said signal components.
8. (Amended) The device as claimed in claim 5, ~~claim 6, or claim 7~~, wherein said selected criteria is or includes the absolute signal strength of the result signal, and/or said signal components.

IN THE ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE:

The required proper Abstract is submitted herewith on a separate unnumbered sheet.

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